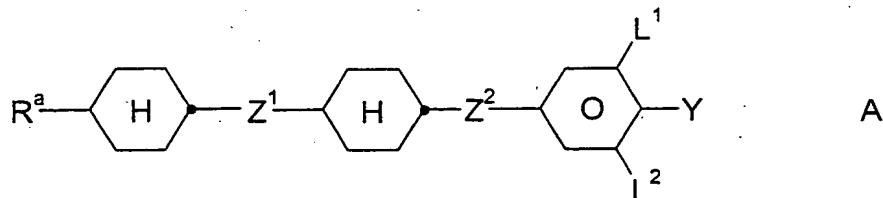


Abstract

The invention relates to a liquid-crystalline medium which is characterised in that it comprises one or more compounds of the formula A

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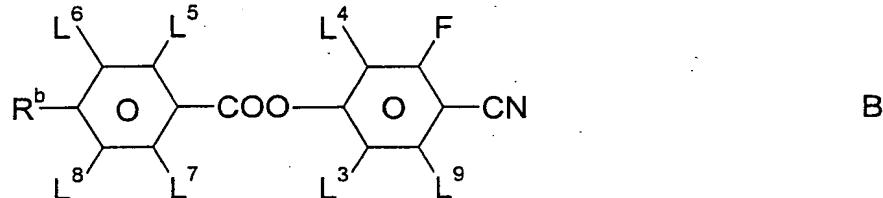
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and at least one compound of the formula B

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in which R^a , R^b , Y , Z^1 , Z^2 , L^1 , L^2 , L^3 , L^4 , L^5 , L^6 , L^7 , L^8 and L^9 are as defined in Claim 1.

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